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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION UNDER 35 U.S.C. §12-1 AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 12, 2000 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 2, line 8, after "SCSI" and before "bus" insert

from--.